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For: METHOD OF DRIVING 3-ELECTRODE PLASMA DISPLAY APPARATUS TO
MINIMIZE ADDRESSING POWER

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.56, and §§1.97 and 1.98 as amended, Applicant cites, describes, and provides copies of the following art references:

FOREIGN PATENT REFERENCE:

- Korean Patent Publication No. 2002-32927 to Hong, entitled METHOD FOR DRIVING ADDRESS ELECTRODE OF PLASMA DISPLAY PANEL, published 4 May 2002.

OTHER DOCUMENTS:

- Korean Office Action of the Korean Patent Application No. 2002-40666, issued on 28 June 2004 (English translation attached).

DISCUSSION

As explained by the Examiner in Applicant's corresponding Application No. 2002-40666 issued on 12 July 2002 by the Patent Office of Korea, the cited reference (Korean Patent Publication No. 2002-32927 published on 4 May 2002) has an object of reducing power consumption of a Plasma Display Panel module and thus is similar to the present intention in terms of objects of the invention. In the cited reference, a data variation amount is detected from an input image, and an energy recovery circuit including in an address driving part is stopped when the data variation amount is below a reference level and is driven when the data variation amount is above the reference value.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97(d), the undersigned attorney hereby certifies that each item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign patent application not more than three (3) months prior to the filing of this statement.

The citation of the foregoing references is not intended to constitute an assertion that other or more relevant art does not exist. Accordingly, the Examiner is requested to make a wide-ranging and thorough search of the relevant art.

No fee is incurred by this Statement.

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	KR 2002-32927	5/4/2002	KOREA			Abstract	

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